

Electronic Supplementary Material for

Visualising the equilibrium distribution and mobility of organic
contaminants in soil using the chemical partitioning space

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SI-1 Phase parameters and solute descriptors

Phase parameters for the pp-LFERs used in the construction of phase partitioning space maps.

Phase parameters	s	a	b	l	v	c	Ref
Pahokee peat/water (25 °C)	-0.98	-0.42	-3.34	0.54	1.20	0.02	1
Leonardite humic acid/water (40 °C)	-1.15	-0.64	-2.95	0.21	2.45	0.57	2
Leonardite humic acid/water (25 °C)	-0.93	-0.43	-3.14	0.25	2.49	0.26	2
Leonardite humic acid/water (15 °C)	-0.79	-0.29	-3.26	0.28	2.51	0.05	2
Leonardite humic acid/water (5 °C)	-0.65	-0.15	-3.39	0.31	2.53	-0.15	2
Air/water (40 °C)	-1.95	-3.43	-4.62	-0.51	2.86	0.60	3
Air/water (25 °C)	-1.94	-3.68	-4.97	-0.52	2.68	0.51	3
Air/water (15 °C)	-1.93	-3.85	-5.20	-0.52	2.56	0.45	3
Air/water (5 °C)	-1.92	-4.02	-5.43	-0.52	2.44	0.39	3

Note: The phase parameters were calculated at different temperatures using linear correlations between phase descriptors and temperature reported in ref 2 for Leonardite humic acid/water, and ref 3 for air/water. The phase parameters for Pahokee peat/water were taken from eq. 6 of ref. 1.

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Solute descriptors

Chemical	S	A	B	L	V	Ref [S, A, B, V]	Ref [L]
Amitrole	0.86	1.11	0.35	2.61	0.60	1	2
Atrazine	1.28	-0.01	0.96	7.34	1.62	3	3
Bromacil	1.08	0.87	0.83	8.18	1.63	3	3
Chlorothalonil	2.20	-0.25	0.44	7.65	1.52	3	3
Chlorpyrifos	0.34	0.00	1.11	8.57	2.15	1	2
Cypermethrin	0.24	0.02	1.55	11.87	2.97	1	2
Cyromazine	0.03	1.36	1.17	4.92	1.207	1	2
Desethylatrazine	1.07	0.37	0.88	6.67	1.34	3	3
Endosulfan	0.82	0.41	0.96	9.38	2.08	3	3
Endrin	1.28	0.00	0.38	8.06	2.01	1	2
Metolachlor	0.95	0.09	1.35	8.86	2.28	3	3
Carbamazepine	2.00	0.42	0.90	9.40	1.81	3	3
Fluorouracil	0.67	1.05	0.77	3.81	0.77	1	2
Triclosan	1.81	0.92	0.3	8.96	1.81	3	3
Zearalenone	1.68	0.87	1.24	11.95	2.46	3	3
1,1,1-trichloroethane (TCE)	0.41	0	0.09	2.73	0.76	4	4
p-xylene	0.52	0	0.16	3.84	1.00	5	4
PCB-52	1.33	0	0	8.49	1.64	6	2
PCB-101	1.47	0	0	9.22	1.76	6	2
PCB-138	1.61	0	0	9.95	1.88	6	2

Note: If an experimental *L* was not available, *L* was determined according to eq. SI19 in ref. 2.

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SI-2 Expressing the humidity and temperature dependence of surface adsorption.

Goss et al.¹ reported experimental K_{IA} for a range of chemicals at different relative humidity at 15°C. Using these data, humidity dependent phase descriptors for K_{IA} were derived for RH>90% and <90%. These are summarized in Table S1.

Table S1 Slopes and intercepts of the humidity dependent phase descriptors.

Phase Descriptor	Slope (S)	K_{IA} (RH<=90%)	K_{IA} (RH>90%)
	Intercept (I)		
A	$S_{a_{ju}}$	-0.00125	0.01
	$I_{a_{ju}}$	1.0142	1.11E-16
B	$S_{b_{ju}}$	-0.0025	0.01
	$I_{b_{ju}}$	1.125	1.11E-16
L	$S_{l_{ju}}$	-0.035	0
	$I_{l_{ju}}$	7.7167	4.6

K_{IA} is subsequently adjusted to different temperatures according to eq [S1]. No pp-LFER equation could be obtained for ΔU_{IA} . To implement temperature dependence for K_{IA} an empirical equation derived by Goss and Schwarzenbach² was modified to calculate the inner energy of phase transfer from the K_{IA} as shown in eq [S2]. A factor of 1000 has been included to yield an adsorption enthalpy in J/mol, and an additional term was added to convert the result from an enthalpy to an inner energy as discussed by Goss³.

$$K_{IA}^{T_2} = K_{IA}^{T_1} \cdot \exp\left[-\frac{\Delta U_{IA}}{R}\left(\frac{1}{T_2} - \frac{1}{T_1}\right)\right] \quad \text{Eq [S1]}$$

$$\Delta U_{IA} (\text{J/mol}) = (-4.57 \cdot \ln K_{IA}^{T_1} - 92.2) \cdot 1000 + R \cdot 298.15 \quad \text{Eq [S2]}$$

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